Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Saturday 12 Dec 2020 until 23:59 on Sunday 13 Dec 2020

Forecast Issued on Friday 11 Dec 2020 at 14:11

Confidence: Generally high for the weekend, but a few hours uncertainty in timing of rain arriving on Sunday morning. High for remaining breezy and unsettled early next week, but low exact details.

Headline for Saturday 12 Dec 2020: Sunny spells and a few showers. Feeling cold in the wind.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 12 Dec 2020

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Light rain	Cloudy	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
80%	40%	20%	30%	30%	20%	10%	<05%

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Weather: Patchy overnight rain and drizzle clears before dawn. Then a bright day with a few scattered showers, wintery on the highest summits. Some sunny spells likely, the best of these to the south of the main ranges. Dry with largely clear skies after dark.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 40-50%, frequent cloud above 500-600m. Becoming 90% after dark as cloud disperses.

Visibility: Good at low levels. Variable on the tops through the day but becoming very good in the evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	15/20 NW	21/29 NW	19/28 NW	18/25 NW	18/26 NW	15/21 W	12/17 W	9/13 SW	10/15 S
300	8/18 W	12/25 NW	11/24 NW	10/22 W	11/23 W	9/19 W	7/16 W	6/13 SW	6/13 S
Valley	8/19 W	11/24 NW	10/24 NW	9/21 W	10/22 W	8/18 W	6/15 W	6/13 SW	4/12 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	5/1	4/-2	3/-2	2/-3	3/-3	2/-2	2/-3	2/-2	2/-2
300	7/4	6/2	5/1	4/1	5/2	5/2	3/1	3/0	3/0
Valley	7/5	7/3	6/2	5/2	6/3	6/3	4/1	3/1	3/1
Freezing Level*	1400m	1200m	1000m	900m	900m	900m	800m	900m	900m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View
A chilly feel in the wind.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
15:00 on Fri 11 Dec 2020	10.2mm	17.4mm	21.2mm

Forecast for Sunday 13 Dec 2020

Weather: Heavy persistent rain arrives before dawn, continuing through much of the day with gales developing across the summits. Rain clearing to frequent showers between late afternoon and early evening. Showers continuing overnight.

Maximum wind: South 25-30 mph increasing to 35 gusting 45 mph by dawn, then 45 gusting 55-60 mph by midday. Becoming Southwest 35-40 gusting 45 mph by evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: Generally nil through daylight hours, extensive cloud above 400m. Some breaks possible by late afternoon, with cloud bases lifting to around 600m.

Visibility: poor or very poor. Occasionally good from late afternoon.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 4 Celsius rising to 11 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 3 Celsius rising to 8 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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